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District: 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ROADWORK SCHEDULED FOR HIGHWAY 166 EAST OF SANTA MARIA

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY – A new metal beam guard rail will be installed on Hwy. 166 25 miles east of Santa Maria. The work will begin Monday, June 12 and should be completed in two weeks.

One-way traffic control will be in effect Monday through Thursday between the hours of 8 am and 5 pm. The work will take place from 8 am to 2 pm on Fridays.

Motorists should expect a minimal delay of five to ten minutes.

The contractor for the \$75,000 job is M. Bumgarner of Livermore, California.

Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone'.

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in Santa Barbara County, the public can call Caltrans District 5 at 805-549-3318 or visit the District 5 website at:

<http://dot.ca.gov/dist05/main/road/upsb.htm>.

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